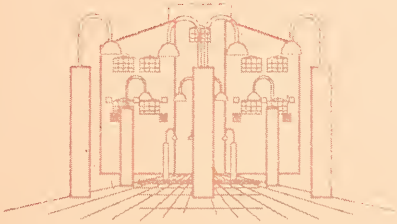

Nineteenth Annual Commencement

Roxbury Community College

Friday the fourth of June
Nineteen hundred and ninety-three
Three o'clock p.m.
Media/Arts Building

Dr. Grace Carolyn Brown, President
Roxbury Community College
Presiding

Roxbury Community College
1234 Columbus Avenue
Roxbury Crossing, Massachusetts

Lift Ev'ry Voice and Sing

Lift ev'ry voice and sing,
Till earth and heaven ring,
Ring with the harmonies of Liberty;
Let our rejoicing rise, High as the list'ning skies
Let it resound loud as the rolling sea.
Sing a song full of the faith that the dark past has taught us;
Sing a song full of the hope that the present has brought us;
Facing the rising sun of our new day begun
Let us march on till victory is won.

Special thanks to the Graduation Committee:

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Jessica Brown, Student Rep.
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Program

Processional	Collegiate Brass Ensemble
Invocation	Reverend Paula Waters
Lift Every Voice and Sing	Audience
Welcome and Charge to College	Michael Murphy Chair, RCC Board of Trustees
Recognition of Special Guests	Dr. Grace Carolyn Brown President
Greetings	Dr. Peter Mitchell, Chancellor Higher Education Coordinating Council
Greetings from Students	Tracy A. Burnett - English Esteffani M. Rubiera-Spanish Helen N. Ngobidi - Ibo Jin Jin Wong - Chinese Jean E. Monestime - French
Choral Medley	RCC Choral Society
Presentation of Valedictorian	Barbara Burgess Dean of Students
Valedictorian	Kimberly Anne Warren
Presentation of Commencement Speaker	Dr. Grace Carolyn Brown President

Commencement Address	The Hon. Dianne Wilkerson Massachusetts State Senate
Presentation of Degree Candidates	Barbara Burgess, Dean Dr. Paul Willenbrock Dean of Academic Affairs
Conferral of Degrees	Dr. Grace Carolyn Brown President
Presentation of Certificate Candidates	Barbara Burgess, Dean Dr. Paul Willenbrock, Dean
Conferral of Certificates	Dr. Grace Carolyn Brown President
Scholarship Awards	Leon Wilson President, RCC Foundation
Alumni Charge	Sharif Abdal-Khallaq RCC Board of Trustees
Closing Remarks	Dr. Grace Carolyn Brown President
Benediction	Reverend Paula Waters
Recessional	Collegiate Brass Ensemble

Scholarship Awards

Name of Award	Recepient
Martin Luther King, Jr.	Carlos Maynard Maria Veiga-Taylor
The Elizabeth "Betty" Johnson Award	Kimberly Anne Warren
The Thomas Lowe Award	Eustacio Humphrey
James Caesar Endowed Scholarship	Lawrence Welsh
The Claudia J. Tucker Award	Helen Ngobidi
F. E. Copeland Gelzer Award	Rose Negatu
Letitia Garofalo Award	Jian Hua Ma
Outstanding Female Graduate Award	Coral Aziz
Outstanding Male Graduate Award	Lawrence Welsh
The Ethel McFerson Scholarship	Jemma Owens
Joseph T. Hunter Scholarship	Karen Dulski Ninfa Martins
BBS Alumni Scholarship	Kimberly Anne Warren Monique Osgood
Boston University/ Roxbury Community College Scholars	Melvin Patton Fred Tahmasian
Foster Furcolo Scholarship	Adesuwa Idusuyia
Wheelock College/ Roxbury Community College Social Work Training Program	Effieter Beckford Frank Staples
Marjorie Kaalund Award	To be announced

Departmental Awards

Accounting	Dao Thi Xuan Vu Jin Jin Wong
Biological Science	Pierre Darius Jossett Jones Adesuwa Okundaye
Business Administration	Carlos Pierre-Louis Fred Tahmasian
Business Management	Gregory Holmes
Computer Assisted Drafting	Jose Tejada
Computer Information System	Andre Andrade Gladys Montalvo Melvin Patton
Early Childhood Education	Evelyn Vazquez
Executive Secretarial	Sandra Castro Lisa Fabiano
Legal Secretarial	Maria Mejias
Liberal Arts (Awarded in memory of Prof. Ivanildo DeAraujo)	Effieter Beckford Sonia Diaz Amelita Phillip
Medical Secretarial	Adrianna Rodriguez
Nursing/Pre-Nursing	Lia Blackberg Jennifer Bragdon Matthew Ehimwenma Helen Ngobidi
Social Science	Cedric Jenkins Eustacio Humphrey Ogo Onujiogu
Word Processing	Debra Mulcahy Inocencia Kelly

Candidates for Degrees

Class of 1993

Girmay Abraha
Shawn Agard
Hingel Agrinsoni
Andrea Ambrose
Andre Andrade
Lisa Archer
Osagie Asemota
Juania Ashley
Marie-Gerta Augustin
Coral Aziz
Marie Barron
Effieter Beckford
Gema Bien-Aime
Lia Blackberg
Oren Bloodworth
Daniel Boisaubin
Jennifer Bragdon
Lederne Breneville
Angela Bryant
Tracy Burnett
Karen Bustillo
Lorenia Cartwright
Sandra Castro
Gloria Castro-Cortes
Sonia Centeno
Maria Chacon
Josiah Christian
Jerome Collins
Sandra Connaughton
Marvelyn Corbette
Stephen Dantzler
Pierre Darius
Milagros Davidowitz
Anne-Marie Denton
Salomon Derra
Marie Desir
Sonia Diaz
Christine Doherty
Maria Duarte
Karen Dulski
Calvin Durham
Matthew Ehimwenma
Emily Ekechukwu
Nkechi Enemchukwu
Victor Esteve
Lisa Fabiano
Karyn Fashaw
Maxine Foster
Alanna Fuoco
Iris Garrasteguy
Lorie Gasque
Yohannes Gebremichael
Jean Gervais
Marie Glemaud
Loretta Golston
Michelle Guerero
Kimberlee Holliday
Jamil Holloway

Gregory Holmes
Yu Huang
Eustacio Humphrey
Willy Innocent
Carole Jacques
Cedric Jenkins
Jacqueline Johnson
Jossett Jones
Melva Joseph
Kris Joyner
Donna Jules
Inocencia Kelly
April King
Theresa Kirby
Emily Kwok
Adesuwa Lee
Lisa Lee
Ana Lendeborg
Mo Leung
Yan Li
Pauline Lonergan
Miriam Lopez
Christine Lynch-McIntosh
Jian Ma
Patricia Madden
Maria Mejias
Nayda Martinez
Rina Martinez-David
Ninfa Martins
Jean Mathurin
Carlos Maynard
Lori McDonald
Vallerie McNeil
Zuzana Mendez
Amanuel Mesghina
Leopold Mitchell
Jean Monestime
Gladys Montalvo
Scott Morrison
Debra Mulcahy
Rosemary Negatu
Helen Ngobidi
Jean Nicolas
Mabel Nnah
Onyewuchi Offurum
Adesuwa Okundaye
Edward O'Neal
Karen O'Neill
Ogo Onujiogu
Monique Osgood
Jemma Owens
Edny Pascal
Melvin Patton
Jacquelyne Payne-Thompson
Manuel Pereira
Amelita Phillip
Suzette Phillips-Johnson
Carmel Philogene
Guerda Pierre
Carlo Pierre-Louis
Dean Pinn
Gradenia Pratt
Nandasena Ramanayake
Laude Raphael
Sokkeo Rath
Tamalyn Reid
Linda Roberts
Adrianna Rodriguez

Rose Romain
Esteffani Rubiera
Edward Sadak
Maxant Saint-Louis
Mozart Saint Vil
Maureen Sandino
Linda Sawyers
Christopher Shaw
Ireine Similien
Jada Simmons
Lloyd Simms
Sandra Smith
Shawn Smith
Frank Staples, Jr.
Rosemaire Symes
Fred Tahmasian
Reta Tedla
Monique Thomas
Rochelle Thomas
Marilyn Townes
Anselma Valentini
Tonya Vaughn
Evelyn Vazquez
Maria Veiga-Taylor
Mayra Velazquez-Welsh
Richard Villavicencio
Dao Vu
Kathy Walsh
Lois Walsh
Frank Ward
Kimberly Warren*
Pamela Washington
Torleah Washington
Andrew Watson
Lawrence Welsh
Allen Williams
Cheryl Wilson
Paulette Wilson
Beata Wisniak
Jin Wong
Tina Pei Xie

* Valedictorian

Candidates for Certificates

One Year

Bookkeeping
Linh Huynh
Tri Nguyen

Computer Assisted Drafting
Jose Tejada

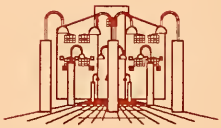
Computer Programming
Jacques Saade

Word Processing
Eunice Feliz
Robin Smith

One Semester

Office Technology Certificate

Tabitha C. Alford
Kerrie Ann Bisceglia
Stefanie Brewster
Zoleila Delarosa
Denise Eonville
Izelia Francisque
Anne Marie Denise Gaston
Dominique St. Hilaire
Paulette Maria Inniss
Myrtoue Jeannot
Janine Michelle Jordan
Diane McLaurin
Listra Paul
Jacqueline Reyes Pepin
Earle Anderson Porte
Dychell Reeves
Cynthia A. Salerno
Maureen Sandino
Kelly Jean Sullivan
Andrew Wylie Webb



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